



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of : Thomas RICHARDSON et al.

Serial No.: 10/058,835

Group Art Unit: 1635

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Examiner: Tracy A. Vivlemore

For: METHODS FOR SUSTAINED RELEASE LOCAL  
DELIVERY OF DRUGS FOR ABLATION OF UNWANTED TISSUE

**REPLY WITH RCE FILING**

MAIL STOP PETITION  
Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

Concurrent with the Petition to Revive Unintentionally Abandoned Application under 37 C.F.R. §1.137(b) and Request for Continued Examination (RCE) filed concurrently herewith, kindly amend the above-identified application as follows. This Reply also addresses the outstanding rejections in the Final Office Action of May 17, 2005.

Amendments and additions to the **Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 5 of this paper.